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Maps: G.S.G.S. 4336 and 4249, 1:250,000
12 AG OUTLINE MAP 1:1,500,000
(Situation Map attached).

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1. FRONT LINE: See Map.

BOUNDARY CHANGES:

Boundary between III and V Corps: From vicinity K1100 - south along Czechoslovakian border to vicinity P2472.

Boundary between III Corps and XII Corps: From vicinity P2472 - southwards along south boundary LANDKREIS WUISIEDL P0575 - east boundary LANDKREIS DAYREUTH 08055 - east boundary LANDKREIS PEGNITZ 06535 - east boundary LANDKREIS HERSBRUCK 07010 - north boundary LANDKREIS NEUMARKT T7085 - east boundary LANDKREIS PARSBERG T9070 - east boundary LANDKREIS KELLERN U0535 to DONAU River vicinity U1147.

Boundary between III and XX Corps: From vicinity U1147 - west along DONAU River to vicinity T9331 - west along north boundary LANDKREIS INGOLSTADT T7530 to vicinity T5826.

Boundary between XII and XX Corps: From vicinity U1147 - east along DONAU River to vicinity W0383.

Boundary between XII and V Corps: From vicinity P2472 - south along Czechoslovakian border to vicinity Q3155 - thence as before.

2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: See Map.

3. ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.

6TH ARMY GROUP. (191200B). FIRST FRENCH ARMY. (Army Troops). 1st French Armored Division. (With 2d Choc Gp atchd). No change.

I French Corps and II French Corps. No change.

21 ARMY GROUP. (191200B). SECOND BRITISH ARMY. XVIII US Airborne Corps. 5th British Division. Completed the relief of the 6th British Airborne Division in the vicinity of T4278 and assumed responsibility for the division sector. 7th US Armored Division. Commenced to be relieved in place by units of the 82d US Airborne and 8th US Divisions.

VIII British Corps and XII British Corps. No change.

XXX Corps. Guards Armored Division. (With 1st Household Cav Regt atchd). 32d Guards Infantry Brigade commenced movement to LANDKREIS ROTENBURG S1000 to assume responsibility for that area. 51st Division. 152d Brigade commenced movement to the vicinity of CUXHAVEN R6387. The 154th Brigade commenced to turn over responsibility for its sector within the BREMEN W7499 ENCLAVE to the 29th US Division. 8th Armored Brigade. Commenced movement to LANDKREIS HANNOVER X3020 to assume responsibility for the area. 43d Division. 130th Brigade occupied the area S6432 - S5128 - S6217. 52d Division. 155th Brigade concentrated in the area W8370 - W8172 - W7782. The 156th Brigade concentrated in the area W5895 - W5794 - W6093. The 157th Brigade concentrated in the area W6673 - W6882 - W5779.

I British Corps. No change.

FIRST CANADIAN ARMY. (Army Troops). 5th Canadian Armored Division. (With 18th Cdn Armd Car Regt atchd). No change. 1st Canadian Infantry Brigade Group. No change.

II Canadian Corps. 2d Canadian Division. Relieved the 1st Polish Armored Division of responsibility for the WANGEROOG R1077, SPIEKENOOG Q9575 and LANGE00G Q8673 Islands. 2d Canadian Armored Brigade. Relieved from attachment to II

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Canadian Corps and placed under army command in the vicinity of A0390.

I Canadian Corps. 3d Canadian Division. 9th Canadian Infantry Brigade relieved remaining units of the 49th Division in the area Z3103 - Z2504 - Z3202. 49th Division. (With 1st Cdn Armd Bde atchd). 147th Infantry assembled in the area E4589 - E5589 - E5884 upon its relief by units of the 3d Canadian Division.

AIR. (19 May). No operations.

4. WEATHER (Germany).

Precipitation: Light to moderate showers in central and southern Germany during the afternoon. Clouds: Scattered to broken low clouds. Visibility: 1 - 2 miles at dawn, becoming 3 - 5 miles by 1000H, except in local fog and rain where limited to 2 miles. Wind: Northern Germany 6 mph, south. Southern Germany 6 mph, east southeast. Temperatures at WIESBADEN: Maximum 78° F. Minimum 57° F.

5. OUR OPERATIONS.

12TH ARMY GROUP. SEVENTH ARMY. XXI and VI Corps. No change.

XV Corps. 20th Armored Division. Combat Command "B" closed in assembly areas in the vicinities of RADSTADT A3282, SCHLADRING A4983 and A5387.

THIRD ARMY. III Corps. No change.

XX Corps. 14th Armored Division. Completed the relief of Seventh Army units in new sector. 80th Division. Units occupied the area along ENNIS River from the vicinity of SCHLADRING A4983 to the vicinity of LIEZEN V8806.

XII Corps. 26th Division. Relieved the 5th Division in place along the line Q5053 - Q5063 - Q4068 - Q4980. 5th Division. Commenced to assemble in rear of its former positions.

V Corps. No change.

NINTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 2d Armored Division. No change.

VIII, VII, XIII and XIX Corps. All no change.

XVI Corps. 29th Division. Completed the relief of the 52d British Division and continued to relieve other units of XXX British Corps in the BREITEN W7499 ENCLAVE. 35th Division. Completed the relief of 95th Division in place and assumed responsibility for the sector.

FIFTEENTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 66th Division. Continued movement to an assembly area in the vicinity of KOBLENZ L9094.

XXIII and XXII Corps. No change.

6. CASUALTIES. (cumulative to 182400H).

	Killed	Wounded	Missing	Captured	Total
12th Army Group Battle	86,515	359,253	44,641	11,175	501,584
Non-battle					462,013
Total Casualties					963,597

7. COMMAND POSTS: Changes during the day.

12th Army Group: 97th Division BAMBERG 02649; 14th Armored Division WASSERBURG Z3550.

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